## **EXHIBIT A**

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	33		Mail Notice of Allowance	12-02-2009
	♠		Document Verification	11-25-2009
	介	n Completed	Notice of Allowance Data Verification	11-25-2009
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	<b>♠</b>	IDS) Filed	Information Disclosure Statement	02-11-2009
	4		Date Forwarded to Examiner	08-29-2009
	<b>^</b>		Response after Non-Final Action	06-30-2009
			Email Notification	07-07-2009
		(PTOL - 413)	Mail Examiner Interview Summary	07-07-2009
		rd (PTOL - 413)	Examiner Interview Summary Reco	06-30-2009
			Electronic Review	06-15-2009
			Email Notification	06-15-2009
	67		Mail Non-Final Rejection	06-15-2009
	1		Non-Final Rejection	06-08-2009
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8!			Supplemental Response	03-04-2009
4		(PTOL - 413)	Mail Examiner Interview Summary	02-27-2009
4		rd (PTOL - 413)	Examiner Interview Summary Reco	02-23-2009
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01-09-2009	Correspondence Address Change		4
12-17-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner		4
12-17-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner		企
12-09-2008	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		61
12-17-2008	Disposal for a RCE / CPA / R129		會
12-09-2008	Workflow - Request for RCE - Begin		4
10-20-2008	Mail Advisory Action (PTOL - 303)		企
10-14-2008	Advisory Action (PTOL-303)		4
10-02-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner		舎
09-05-2008	Amendment after Final Rejection		个
08-07-2008	Correspondence Address Change		介
07-09-2008	Mail Final Rejection (PTOL - 326)	53	
07-07-2008	Final Rejection	<b>1</b>	
06-24-2008	Mail Examiner Interview Summary (PTOL - 413)	<b>^</b>	
06-12-2008	Examiner Interview Summary Record (PTOL - 413)	<b>^</b>	
04-30-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner	<b>1</b>	
04-25-2008	Supplemental Response		99
02-26-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner		1
01-17-2008	Response after Non-Final Action		徻
01-08-2008	Mail Miscellaneous Communication to Applicant		
01-07-2008	Miscellaneous Action with SSP		
10-15-2007	Request for Foreign Priority (Priority Papers May Be Included)		
10-23-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner		
10-15-2007	Response after Non-Final Action		31
10-15-2007	Request for Extension of Time - Granted		企
10-05-2007	Mail Examiner Interview Summary (PTOL - 413)		1
09-18-2007	Examiner Interview Summary Record (PTOL - 413)		Ŷ
09-14-2007	Information Disclosure Statement considered		企
09-26-2007	Correspondence Address Change		介
09-26-2007	Change in Power of Attorney (May Include Associate POA)		企
09-10-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed		介
09-14-2007	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed		介
06-14-2007	Mail Non-Final Rejection		企
06-11-2007	Non-Final Rejection		
01-05-2004	Information Disclosure Statement considered		
04-05-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner		
03-30-2007	Response to Election / Restriction Filed		
03-30-2007	Request for Extension of Time - Granted		
01-30-2007	Mail Restriction Requirement		
01-22-2007	Requirement for Restriction / Election		•
11-08-2006	Date Forwarded to Examiner		
10-30-2006	Response to Election / Restriction Filed		
10-30-2006	Request for Extension of Time - Granted		

08-30-2006	Mail Restriction Requirement	643
08-28-2006	Requirement for Restriction / Election	舎
05-31-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	俳
04-18-2006	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete	介
01-05-2004	Reference capture on IDS	介
01-05-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed	介
01-05-2004	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Filed	介
09-25-2003	Preliminary Amendment	介
04-18-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	介
09-16-2005	Miscellaneous Incoming Letter	介
03-31-2004	Transfer Inquiry to GAU	介
02-17-2004	Application Return from OIPE	1
02-17-2004	Application Return TO OIPE	徻
02-17-2004	Application Is Now Complete	介
02-13-2004	Application Dispatched from OIPE	企
02-17-2004	Application Is Now Complete	企
09-25-2003	A document that contains, at least in part, a written description of an invention, and of the manne	1
01-05-2004	A statement by one or more inventors satisfying the requirement under 35 USC 115, Oath of the Applic	徻
12-23-2003	Notice MailedApplication IncompleteFiling Date Assigned	介
12-05-2003	Cleared by OIPE CSR	企
11-10-2003	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review	企
09-25-2003	Initial Exam Team nn	徻

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